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AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

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Bank.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL, \$1,000,000. INSTALMENT RECEIVED ON NEW SHARES, 2,074,744.75. \$7,074,744.75. RESERVE FUND, \$2,500,000. INSTALMENT OF PREMIUMS RECEIVED ON NEW SHARES, 1,563,361.66. \$4,063,361.66.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman—A. P. MCLEWEN, Esq. Deputy Chairman—Hon. F. D. SASSOON, C. D. BOTTOMLEY, M. GROTH, Esq. Esq. H. L. DALRYMPLE, A. GUZMAN, Esq. Hon. W. KIRKWOOD, Esq. W. H. FORBES, Esq. M. E. SASSOON, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER. HONGKONG, THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. MANAGER. SHANGHAI, Ewen CAMERON, Esq. LONDON BANKERS.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED. ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.

For Fixed Deposits.—For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum. " " 4 per cent. " " 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, HONGKONG, April 2, 1884.

Intimations.

NOTICE.

In the Matter of the Estate of YORICK JONES MURROW, Esquire, Deceased, formerly of HONGKONG.

NOTICE is hereby given that all Creditors and other Persons having any CLAIMS or DEMANDS upon or against the Estate of the said YORICK JONES MURROW, who died at Arlington House in the Parish of Saint Saviour in the Island of Jersey on the 12th day of March 1884, and Letters of Administration with the will annexed, of whose estate and effects were granted by the Supreme Court of Hongkong in its Probate Jurisdiction, on the 9th day of June, 1884, to JAMES HENRY COX, are hereby required to send in Writing the full Particulars of their CLAIMS or DEMANDS to the said JAMES HENRY COX at No. 47 Queen's Road, HONGKONG, or to the undersigned, or before the 9th day of July, 1884, pursuant to an Order of the Supreme Court of Hongkong made in this matter on the 9th day of June, 1884, limiting the time for Creditors to send in their claims to that date.

The Notice is hereby given that at the expiration of the day above limited the said JAMES HENRY COX will proceed to distribute the assets of the said YORICK JONES MURROW, deceased, amongst the Parties entitled thereto having regard to the claims of which the said JAMES HENRY COX or the undersigned shall then have had notice and that the said JAMES HENRY COX will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whom claim he shall not have had notice at the time of distribution.

All Parties INDEBTED to the above Estate are requested to make immediate payment to the said JAMES HENRY COX.

Dated the 9th day of June, 1884.

BERERTON, WOTTON & DEACON,

Advertisers for the said JAMES HENRY COX,

35, Queen's Road,

HONGKONG.

NOTICE.

PERSONS desirous of exchanging Soiled ONE DOLLAR NOTES for CHINA NOTES may do so at the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION from this date.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

T. JACKSON,

Chief Manager.

Hongkong, May 30, 1884.

NOTICE.

ROBT. SIM & CO.'S PATENT ANTI-FOULING COMPOSITION

as supplied to

Her Majesty's Ships; The P. & O. S. N. Co.;

The Douglas Steamship Company;

The Japanese Government;

sole agent, China, Japan, and Manila;

EDWARD GEORGE.

Hongkong, January 31, 1884.

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NOTICE.

Hongkong, April 25, 1884.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has been appointed

AGENTS FOR THE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT DOCK AND PATENT SLIP, at Nagasaki, and are prepared to

supply Tenders for the DOCKING, CLEANING,

PAINTING, &c., of VESSELS. The ENGINE WORKS in connection with the Dockyard are under the direction of experienced ENGINES and possess all the necessary appliances for REPAIRS to SHIPS and MACHINERY.

HOLME, RINGER & CO.

Hongkong, March, 1884.

NOTICE.

WITH Reference to the above, BUSINESS will be commenced on the 1st MAY, 1884.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,

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THROUGH TO NEW YORK, VIA
OVERLAND RAILWAYS, AND TOUCHING
AT YOKOHAMA, AND SAN FRANCISCO.

THE U. S. Mail Steamship *CITY OF PEKING* will be dispatched from San Francisco, via Yokohama, on MONDAY, the 16th Instant, at 3 p.m., taking Passengers and Freight for Japan, the United States, and Europe.

Through Bills of Lading issued for transportation to Yokohama and other Japan Ports, to San Francisco, to Atlantic and Inland Cities of the United States, via Overland Railways, and to Havana, Trinidad, and Dacca, and to ports in Mexico, Central and South America, by the Company's and connecting Steamers.

Through Passage Tickets granted to England, France, and Germany by all trans-Atlantic Lines of Steamers.

Return Passengers, who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within six months, will be allowed a discount of 20% from Return Fare, if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 12% will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of 25% from Return Fare. *These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe.*

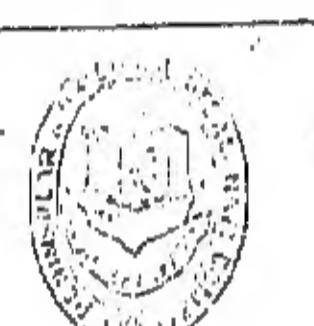
Freight will be received on board until 4 p.m. on the 16th instant. Parcel Packages will be received at the office until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; value of same is required.

Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo destined to ports beyond San Francisco should be sent to the Company's Offices in Sealed Envelopes, addressed to: *the Collector of Customs at San Francisco.*

For further information, as to Passage and Freight, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50, Queen's Road Central.

F. B. FOSTER,
Agent.

Hongkong, June 5, 1884.



STEAM FOR
SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO,
SUEZ, PORT SAID,
MARSEILLES, MANTA, GIBRALTAR,
BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE,
AND LONDON;

ALSO,
BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND
AUSTRALIA.

N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for BATAVIA, PEKING, GULF PORTS, MARSEILLES, TRIESTE, HAMBURG, NEW YORK AND BOSTON.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship *HYDASPE*, Captain S. R. ELLIOTT, with Her Majesty's Mail, will be dispatched from this for LONDON direct, via SUEZ, CANAL, and the Ports of Call, on THURSDAY, the 19th June, at 4 p.m. Freight will be received on board until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.

Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 10 a.m. on the day of sailing.

For further Particulars, regarding FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong.

The Contents and Value of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading.

N.B.—This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for MARSEILLES.

A. M. FOSTER, Superintendent.

Hongkong, June 9, 1884.

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Hongkong Rates of Postage.

In the following Statements and Tables the Rates are given in cents, and are for Letters per half ounce, for Books and Patterns, per two ounces.

Newspapers over four ounces in weight are charged as double, triple, &c., and the case may be, but such papers or packets of papers may be sent at Book Rate. Two Newspapers must not be folded together as one, nor must anything whatever be inserted except bona fide Supplements. Printed matter may, however, be enclosed, if the whole be paid at Book Rate. Prices Current may be paid either as Newspapers or Books.

Commercial Papers signify such papers as, though written by Hand, do not bear the character of an actual or personal correspondence, such as invoices, deeds, contracts, &c. The charge on them is the same for books, but, whatever the weight of a packet containing any partially written paper, it will not be charged less than 5 cents.

The sender of any Registered Article may accompany it with a Return Receipt on paying an extra fee of 5 cents.

The limit of weight for Books and Commercial Papers to Foreign Post Offices is 4 lbs. Patterns for such offices are limited to 8 ounces, and must not exceed these dimensions: 8 inches by 4 inches by 2 inches.

Countries of the Postal Union.

The Union may be taken to comprise all the foreign possessions in Asia, Africa, W. Africa, Egypt, Mauritius, N. America, Mexico, Salvador, Brazil, Peru, Chile, Venezuela, The Argentine Republic, Jamaica, Trinidad, Guiana, Honduras, Bermuda, Labuan, Hawaii, with all Danish, French, Netherlands, Portuguese and Spanish Colonies.

Countries not in the Union.—The chief countries not in the Union are the Australasian Group, and S. Africa.

Postage to Union Countries.

General Rates, by any route:—
Letters, 10 cents per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
Post Cards, 3 cents each.
Registration, 10 cents.
Newspapers, 2 cents each.

Postage to Non-Union Countries.

Australia, New Zealand, Tasmania, and Fiji, via Torres Straits, Letters, 10; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 10; *Via Ceylon*, Letters, 10; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 2; Books and Patterns, 10.

Natal, the Cape, S. Africa, Assumption, Bolivia, Letters, 25; Registration, 10; Newspapers, 5; Books and Patterns, 10.

LOCAL POSTAGE.

General Rates, by any route:—
Letters, 10 cents per $\frac{1}{2}$ oz.
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Postage to China.

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Postage to Japan.

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Postage to Korea.

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Postage to Formosa.

General Rates, by any route:—
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Postage to Siam.

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